

[CHAPTER 429]

AN ACT

To provide for the extension of certain oil and gas leases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the last sentence in the first section of the Act entitled "An Act to grant a preference right to certain oil and gas leases", approved July 29, 1942, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows: "The term of any five-year lease expiring prior to December 31, 1945, maintained in accordance with the applicable statutory requirements and regulations and for which no preference right to a new lease is granted by this section, is hereby extended to December 31, 1945."

Approved September 27, 1944.

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[S. 2111]
[Public Law 442]

Extension of certain oil and gas leases.

57 Stat. 608.
30 U. S. C., Supp. III, § 226b.

[CHAPTER 430]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Making an appropriation to pay the necessary expenses of the inaugural ceremonies of the President of the United States, January 20, 1945.

September 27, 1944
[S. J. Res. 150]
[Public Law 443]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$25,000, to enable the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives to pay the necessary expenses of the inaugural ceremonies of the President of the United States, January 20, 1945, in accordance with such program as may be adopted by the joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives, appointed under the concurrent resolution of the two Houses agreed to June 23, 1944, including the pay for extra police, fiscal year 1945.

Approved September 27, 1944.

Inaugural ceremonies.
Appropriation for expenses.

Post, p. 1117.

[CHAPTER 446]

AN ACT

To amend section 342 of the Nationality Act of 1940 in respect to fees for the issuance of certificates of arrival.

September 28, 1944
[H. R. 3722]
[Public Law 444]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That subsection (a) of section 342 of the Nationality Act of 1940, approved October 14, 1940 (54 Stat. 1161; U. S. C., title 8, sec. 742 (a)), be, and it hereby is, amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 342. (a) The clerk of each and every naturalization court shall charge, collect, and account for the following fees:

"(1) For receiving and filing a declaration of intention, and issuing a duplicate and triplicate thereof, \$3.

"(2) For making, filing, and docketing a petition for naturalization, \$8, including the final hearing on such petition, if such hearing be held, and a certificate of naturalization, if the issuance of such certificate is authorized by the naturalization court."

SEC. 2. Subsection (b) of section 342 of the Nationality Act of 1940, approved October 14, 1940 (54 Stat. 1161; U. S. C., title 8, sec. 742 (b)), is hereby amended by striking out subparagraph (2) thereof, which reads as follows: "For the issuance of each certificate of arrival, \$2.50." and by renumbering subparagraphs (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), and (9) as subparagraphs (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), and (8).

Nationality Act of 1940, amendments.

Fees, naturalization courts.

Fees for issuance of certificates of arrival.

Renumbering.
Ante, pp. 5, 745.

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